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MEMORANDUM

To: Authorized Representatives of Districts Eligible for Striving Readers Grants
From: Debbie Hunsaker, Instructional Innovations Unit Director
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Date: 10/12/2011
Re: Montana Striving Readers Project (MSRP) Application Workshop

Representatives of eligible districts are invited to attend the Montana Striving Readers Project (MSRP) application workshop. A list of eligible districts and schools is attached. Each district is allowed to **include up to two schools per grade span from elementary, one middle school, and one high school**. There will be two application workshops. Grant awards to successful districts will be awarded in February 2012. In order to fully understand the MSRP, a team of three to five people from each eligible school within the eligible district, (or a team of three to five people total from a small district) will need to attend one of the application workshops. A comprehensive overview of the application will be presented. A registration form is attached to this memo. Participants will need to register immediately. For additional information about the MSRP, please visit our website

http://opi.mt.gov/Streamer/Instructional_Innovations/index.php#p7GPc1_7.

November 2, 2011 Helena

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Grant Application

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November 3, 2011 Great Falls

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